

**IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

_____ day _____, 2013

PRESENT: Supervisors

ABSENT:

**RESOLUTION NO.
RESOLUTION DECLARING MARCH 10-16, 2013 AS “NATIONAL AMERICORPS
WEEK” AND HONORING THE CAL POLY VOLUNTEER INFRASTRUCTURE
PROJECT AMERICORPS PROGRAM**

The following resolution is hereby offered and read:

WHEREAS, AmeriCorps was created in 1993 under the Clinton Administration, through the National and Community Service Trust Act, to create a nationwide corps of citizens dedicated to national service; and

WHEREAS, In September 1994, the first class of AmeriCorps members—20,000 strong—began serving in more than 1,000 communities and in July 3, 2003, President Bush signed the Strengthen AmeriCorps Program Act, which nearly doubled the number of AmeriCorps members; and

WHEREAS, In April 2009, President Obama signed the Edward M. Kennedy Serve America Act, which reauthorized and will expand national service programs administered by the Corporation for National and Community Service including increasing the number of AmeriCorps Members serving from 75,000 to 250,000 by 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Cal Poly Volunteer Infrastructure Project AmeriCorps Program was established as a local AmeriCorps program at the Cal Poly Community Center and enrolled its first members in August 2010; and

WHEREAS, the 2013 Cal Poly Volunteer Infrastructure Project AmeriCorps Program consists of 24 members working at 20 non-profit and community agencies throughout the county; and

WHEREAS, the Cal Poly Volunteer Infrastructure Project AmeriCorps Program has made a meaningful impact in addressing community needs, assisting non-profit and community agencies to administer high quality programs and services; and

WHEREAS, March 10 – 16, 2013, has been designated as National AmeriCorps Week and local Corps members will recognize this event by participating in community service projects throughout the county.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of San Luis Obispo, Board of Supervisors, State of California, does hereby declare March 10–16, 2013 as “National AmeriCorps Week” in San Luis Obispo County and honors the Cal Poly Volunteer Infrastructure Project AmeriCorps Program.

Upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____, and on the following roll call vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

The foregoing resolution is hereby adopted.

Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Deputy Clerk